

Forty-ninth Legislature  
First Regular Session

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2010

(Reference to printed bill)

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert:

2 "Section 1. Section 28-2354, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 **28-2354. License plates; attachment; civil penalty**

5 A. A person shall display the license plate or plates as follows:

6 1. For a motor vehicle, motorcycle, trailer or semitrailer, on the  
7 rear.

8 2. For a vehicle for which two license plates are issued, the vehicle  
9 owner shall display either of the following:

10 (a) One plate on the rear.

11 (b) One plate on the front and one plate on the rear.

12 B. A person shall display all license plates as required by subsection  
13 A until their lawful use expires or is canceled or revoked. A person shall  
14 maintain each license plate so it is clearly legible ~~and so that the name of~~  
15 ~~this state at the top of the license plate is not obscured~~. A person shall  
16 securely fasten each license plate to the vehicle as follows:

17 1. To prevent the plate from swinging.

18 2. At a height of at least twelve inches from the ground to the bottom  
19 of the plate.

20 3. In a position to be clearly visible.

21 C. A PERSON SHALL MAINTAIN EACH LICENSE PLATE SO THAT THE NAME OF THIS  
22 STATE AT THE TOP OF THE LICENSE PLATE IS NOT OBSCURED.

23 D. A PEACE OFFICER SHALL NOT STOP OR ISSUE A CITATION TO A PERSON  
24 OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE ON A HIGHWAY IN THIS STATE FOR A VIOLATION OF  
25 SUBSECTION C UNLESS THE PEACE OFFICER HAS REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE THERE  
26 IS ANOTHER ALLEGED VIOLATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE LAW OF THIS STATE.

1               E. IF A PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION C, THE PERSON IS SUBJECT TO A CIVIL  
2               PENALTY OF THIRTY DOLLARS, EXCEPT THAT IF A PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTION C  
3               WITHIN TWELVE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF A PRIOR VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION C, THE  
4               PERSON IS SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS."

5     Amend title to conform

and, as so amended, it do pass

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Chairman

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